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MANAGEMENT NETWORK AND
RELATED METHOD FOR PROVIDING
IMPROVED PATIENT CARE

SUBMISSION OF FORMAL DRAWINGS

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants submit herewith 24 sheets of formal drawings for the subject application, which includes Figs. 1-13. Entry and approval of the formal drawings are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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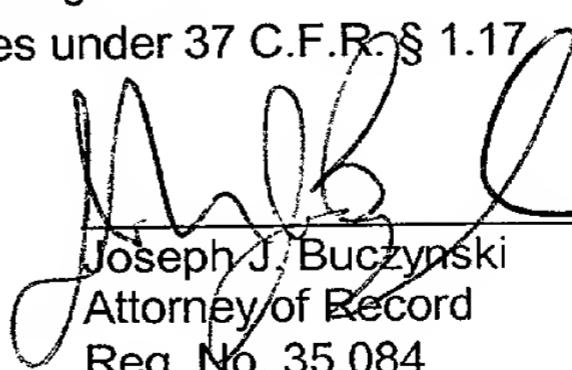
COMPLETION OF APPLICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.53

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Sir:

In response to the Communication dated August 21, 2001, copy attached, submitted herewith are:

- Basic application filing fee for **\$740.00**.
- Formal Drawings.
- An executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, including surcharge for **\$130.00**.
- Assignment, including filing fee for \$.
- Small entity status has been established under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27.
- Applicant(s) petition(s) for an extension of 4 months to respond and submits herewith the fee of **\$1,440.00**.
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 18-2220 in the amount of \$ _____. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
- A check in the amount of **\$2,310.00** is attached.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-2220. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.
 - Any additional excess claim fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16.
 - Any additional patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17


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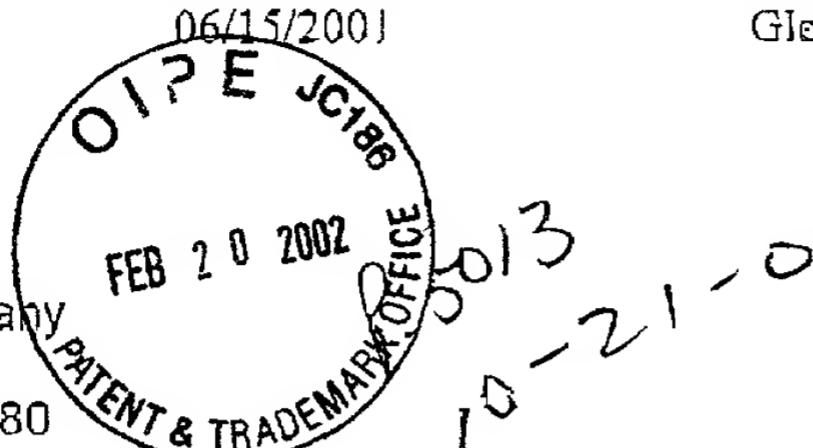


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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

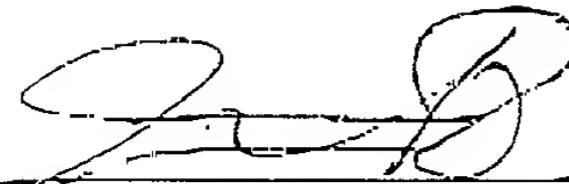
- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 840.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)) Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*



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